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**SEMINOLE COUNTY GOVERNMENT  
AGENDA MEMORANDUM**

**SUBJECT:** Local Health Council of East Central Florida

**DEPARTMENT:** Community Services

**DIVISION:** Administration - Community Services

**AUTHORIZED BY:** Michele Saunders

**CONTACT:** Pamela Martin

**EXT:** 2302

**MOTION/RECOMMENDATION:**

Authorize the Chairman to approve the appointment of Joseph E. Schmidt, Jr. for a term effective May 1, 2009 to February 8, 2011 to the Board of Directors of the Local Health Council of East Central Florida, Inc.

County-wide

Michele Saunders

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**BACKGROUND:**

The general nature of the objects and purposes of the Local Health Council of East Central Florida, Inc. shall be:

- To serve as the official, legal and direct link between the various Boards of County Commissioners in Seminole, Brevard, Orange and Osceola counties to develop a district health plan and serve as a catalyst in efforts to implement recommendations contained in said health plan.
- To provide for the soundness of programs, priorities and services.
- To determine jointly with the service providers, service users and various communities within the four (4) county area, the extent of health needs and resources of the four (4) county areas.
- To receive and disburse funds for the development of a District Health Plan for Brevard, Orange, Osceola and Seminole Counties and implementation efforts in furtherance of the District Health Plan.

The Council's twelve member Board of Directors consists of representatives of Seminole, Brevard, Orange and Osceola Counties. The appointees shall be representatives of Elderly and Health Care Consumers. Florida Statutes 408.033(1) (a) stipulates members shall serve terms of 2 years and may be eligible for reappointment.

Mr. Schmidt will be replacing Gregg MacDonald, Vice President, Network Management of United Healthcare in Central/North Florida who resigned on April 30, 2009 during his two year appointment as the healthcare purchaser/insurer with Local Health Council of East Central Florida.

One candidate is presented for your consideration.

Joseph E. Schmidt, Jr.

Mr. Schmidt currently the Agency Principal for Joseph E. Schmidt Insurance Agency, Inc., is

presented for your consideration for appointment as the Health Care Purchaser for a two-year term beginning May 1, 2009 and expiring February 8, 2011.

**STAFF RECOMMENDATION:**

Staff recommends to authorize the Chairman to approve the appointment of Joseph E. Schmidt, Jr. for a two year term effective May 1, 2009 to May 1, 2011 to the Board of Directors of the Local Health Council of East Central Florida, Inc.

**ATTACHMENTS:**

1. Board Application
2. Resume

<b>Additionally Reviewed By:</b> No additional reviews
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Appointment Information Form - Board of County Commissioners - Seminole County (to...

[x] Seminole County

Please type or print the application in black ink and mail to
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners
County Services Building
1101 East First Street
Sanford, FL 32771

NOTE: A resume or separate sheet with additional information may be included with the application.
Please note that you are responsible for updating information on this form. Please call or write
the County Commission Office to advise of any changes.

DATE: 4/29/09
NAME: SCHMIDT Joseph E. JR.
(Last) (First) (Middle)

ADDRESS: Home: 1101 ERIE CT WINTER SPRINGS, FL 32708
Office: 712 BAIRD ST. ALFAMONTE SPRINGS, FL 32701

PHONE: Home: 407-366-5970 Office: 407-435-8868 Cell: 407-435-8868

EMAIL: JESCHMIDT@POL.COM

EMPLOYER: J.E. SCHMIDT INT. SERV. INC.
POSITION: PRINCIPAL HOW LONG: 5 YRS

EDUCATION: School Degree(s)
High School: LARGO HS. LARGO FL
College: GEORGE MASON UNIV. FAIRFAX, VA B.A.

If you currently or have ever held a professional or business license or certificate, please provide the title,
issue date and issuing authority. If any disciplinary action has been taken, please state the type and date of
the action taken:

LICENSED FL P.I.C. INS. AGT. 2/04
LICENSED FL LIFE HEALTH INS. AGENT 7/09

Please list the Boards or Committees on which you would prefer to be considered for appointment:
HEALTH COUNCIL OF EAST CENT. FL.

Do you wish to be considered for other Boards? Yes (X) No ( )

Please state your experience and interests that you feel would qualify you as a candidate for appointment to
the Board/Committee(s):

I HAVE BEEN IN THE INS INDUSTRY FOR OVER
25 YRS. ACTIVE MEMBER OF P.I.C. OF FL THAT HANDLES
THE INTEREST OF MANY REGULATIVE CHANGES THAT IMPACT
OUR INDUSTRY

Florida law requires that members of certain boards file a detailed financial disclosure form. Would you be
willing to serve on such a board? Yes ( ) No (X)

Are you a resident of Seminole County? Yes (X) No ( )

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Are you a registered voter?

Yes (  ) No ( )

Do you own property in Seminole County?

Yes (  ) No ( )

Have you attended Seminole County's Citizens' Academy?

Yes ( ) No (  )

Have you ever served on a County Board?

Yes ( ) No (  )

If yes, when and which board(s)? \_\_\_\_\_

Seminole County strives to ensure that all County Boards are representative of the community. To assist in this endeavor, please check the applicable boxes:

Ethnicity: African American ( ) Caucasian [non-Hispanic] (  ) Hispanic ( ) Other ( )

Gender: Female ( ) Male (  )

Date of Birth: 7/20/55

REFERENCES:

Name	Address	Phone
MARK WHITEHEAD	OR 717 BAYHARD ST. APT. 5765, FL	407-831-4424
TONY RENOE	2301 MAITLAND CTR. PRUNY MAITLAND, FL	407-658-022
JOHN GERTNER	1101 N. LAKE DESTINY RD. MAITLAND, FL	407-895-808
FR. JOHN BLUETT	ST. STEPHENS CATHOLIC CHURCH 575 TUSKAWILLA RD. WINTER SPRING, FL	407-696-0303

The Appointment Information Form, when completed and filed with the County Commission Office, is a PUBLIC RECORD under Chapter 119, Florida Statutes, and therefore is open to public inspection by any person.

I understand the responsibilities associated with being a Board member, and I have adequate time to serve on the above Board(s).

*[Handwritten Signature]*  
Signature

CLOSE WINDOW

Joseph E. Schmidt, Jr.  
1101 Erie Ct.  
Winter Springs, FL 32708  
407-366-5920

**EDUCATION**

B.A. in History- George Mason University  
Fairfax, VA

**CAREER OBJECTIVE**

To associate with a progressive organization that will provide opportunities to apply business education and experience and an earnest desire for further development and advancement.

**EXPERIENCE**

2004-Present

Joseph E. Schmidt Insurance Agency, Inc. Oviedo, FL

General Insurance Agency Principal  
Sales and Service of Life, Health, Personal and  
Commercial Lines Insurance Products

2001-2004

Zurich North America- Maitland, FL  
Executive Underwriter Middle Markets

Accountable for maintaining growth and profitability objectives for a \$15,000,000 Commercial Lines Territory. Job process involved coordination with accountability to numerous levels within the organization and required a precise knowledge of procedures, insurance contracts and coverage parts, as well as a broad knowledge of general business conditions.

1996-2001

General Accident Insurance Company- Maitland, FL

Master Underwriter Commercial Lines  
Contractor/Umbrella Product Line Manager

Underwriting responsibilities included the selection, analysis and acceptance of Middle Market Insurance Risks submitted by Independent Insurance Agents. Responsible for training, coaching and development of Junior Underwriting Associates.

1992-1996  
Royal Insurance-Tampa, FL

Commercial Lines Underwriting Specialist  
Same duties as above

1990-1992  
Kemper Insurance Group-Orlando, FL  
Commercial Lines Marketing Manager

1985-1990  
CNA Insurance Company- Melville, NY, Orlando, FL  
Commercial Lines Underwriting Specialist  
Responsible for Risk selection, analysis and acceptance of  
Commercial business insuring conformity with Corporate  
objectives.

References available upon request